

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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Applicants: Donald Michael Black
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Customer No.: 28880
For: Method for Preventing or Delaying Catheter-Based Revascularization

Mail Stop Amendment
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RESPONSE UNDER 37 CFR 1.111

This is filed in concurrence with a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) in response to a Final Rejection mailed on April 21, 2006. Applicants respectfully request reconsideration of the subject application in view of the following amendment and remarks. A petition and fee for three (3) month-extension of time accompanies this Amendment and Response.

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 5 of this paper.